DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane, mulberry, paddy, ragi, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Harvesting of paddy, ragi, avare, togari, horse gram and sugar-cane is going on throughout the district.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except for the prevalence of "Seke Jadya" in ome parts of Hoskote Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops such as paddy, ragi, hutchellu, sugar-cane, pototoes are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Vaisaky crops such as paddy and chillies are being shown in Mulbagal Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and groundnuts are being harvested in Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks. Chillies are being harvested in Goribidnur Taluk. Avare, horse gram and sugar-cane are being harvested in Chikballapur Taluk. The milling of sugar-cane is going on in Bagepalli and Bowringpet Taluks.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of black quarter in some parts of Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks, and rinderpest in some parts of Srinivaspur and Chintamani Taluks.

Pasture, water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Kunigal and Kortgere Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks; sugar-cane in parts of Madhugiri and Kunigal Taluks, ragi in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Gubbi Taluks. Horsegram in parts of Tumkur, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kortagere Taluks. Avare in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk and castor in Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri, Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Horsegram in Pavagada Taluk; jolam in Madhugiri Taluk and avare in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Except for the prevalence of Blackquarter in parts of Madhugiri Taluk; cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, avare, ragi, jola, togari, kadale, black and greengrams, sugar-cane, horsegram, cotton, castor and mulberry are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and horsegram in parts of Chamarajnagar; ragi and horsegram in parts of Seringapatam; togari and horsegram in parts of Yedatore.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for doddaroga in Talkad and Alagudu of T.-Narsipur Taluk, and in Kuppahalli and Bookinakere of Krishnarajpete Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been written to, to take preventive measures.

2. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Kode paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar-cane in the Hassan, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; kadale in the Hassan, Belur, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; avare and castor in the Channarayapatna Taluk, and paddy and togari in the Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and sugar-cane in the Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; ragi in the Belur, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; kadale in the Channarayapatna Taluk; avare in the Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; and kulthi in the Arsikere Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for "Rinderpest" in Kadaravalli of the Salagame Hobli, Hassan Taluk, and Kabbavale village, Alur Sub-Taluk. "Foot and Mouth Disease" in parts of Belur Taluk and "Mettrakattu" in Kodagathavalli village of the Alur Sub-Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the taluks of Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sagar and in the sub-taluk of Kumsi.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks and in the sub-taluk of Kumsi; Yennegar and castor in the Channagiri Taluk; Bengalgram in the Shikarpur Taluk are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi, jola, avare, save and horse-gram in the Honnali Taluk are being harvested during the week. Sugar-cane is being milled in all the taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, excepting Channagiri and Honnali Taluks.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good.

Prices of food grains continue to be satisfactory. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for foot and mouth disease in all the villages of Holehonnur Hobli of Shimoga Taluk, and in some parts of the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors have been addresse to take remedial measures.

Fodder and water are available.

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KADUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

2. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

3. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane and coffee in Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa, Mudgere Taluks and Narasimharajapura and Sringeri Sub-Taluks. Garlic, horse gram, avare, menthya, wheat, Bengal gram, jolam in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks are reported to be thriving well.

Crops harvested.—Coffee in all the taluks of the district; menthya, garlic, Bengal gram, horse gram and chillies in Kadur, Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district, but, rinderpest in Huyigere and Devadana villages, Chikmagalur Taluk, Keresanthe, Santhekerehalli, Singategere and Kundur villages in Kadur Taluk and Tarikere Town, Hariharpura, Koppa Town, Bintravalli, Yadadanti, Bomlapura, Narsipura, Marithotlu, Nilavagilu, Bilagadde and Addada villages in Koppa Taluk, Magundi and Hathur villages in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and Sringeri Town, and foot and mouth disease in Huyigere and Devadana villages, Chikmagalur Taluk, Keresanthe village in Kadur Taluk, Biluvanakodige and Kulur in Koppa Taluk and Honeyvale Estate in Mudgere Taluk are reported to be prevailing. The Veterinery Inspectors concerned are taking necessary preventive measures to check the spread of the disease. Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing, sowing and harvesting operations are going on in the district.

2. *Standing crops, viz.*—Sugar-cane, Bilijola, cotton, paddy, kadle, wheat, tobacco, togari, avare and horse gram are reported to be in good condition.

3. *Seeds sown.*—Chitaldrug Taluk—paddy and sugar-cane. Molkalmuru Taluk—paddy and wheat.

4. *Crops harvested.*—Challakere Taluk—Tobacco (6 annas). Hiriyur Taluk—Togari. Holalkere Taluk—Chillies and togari (8 annas). Davangere Taluk—Kadle, sugar-cane and avare (10 annas). Molakalmuru Taluk—Cotton and sugar-cane (8 annas). Jagalur Taluk—Togari, sugar-cane and cotton (8 annas). Hosdurga Taluk—Navane, ragi, jola and horse gram. Harihar Sub-Taluk—cotton (8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in parts of Holalkere and Davangere Taluks and "Foot and Mouth" disease in parts of Chitaldrug, Holalkere, Davangere and Jagalur Taluks. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors attached to the taluks are taking needful action.

Water and fodder are available.

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